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NOTIFICATION CONCERNING SUBMISSION OR TRANSMITTAL OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT

(PCT Administrative Instructions, Section 411)

From the INTERNATIONAL BUREAU

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International application No. PCT/JP01/03896	International filing date (day/month/year) 10 May 2001 (10.05.01)
International publication date (day/month/year) Not yet published	Priority date (day/month/year) 24 May 2000 (24.05.00)
Applicant	
KIKUCHI CO., LTD. et al	

- The applicant is hereby notified of the date of receipt (except where the letters "NR" appear in the right-hand column) by the International Bureau of the priority document(s) relating to the earlier application(s) indicated below. Unless otherwise indicated by an asterisk appearing next to a date of receipt, or by the letters "NR", in the right-hand column, the priority document concerned was submitted or transmitted to the International Bureau in compliance with Rule 17.1(a) or (b).
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- An asterisk(*) appearing next to a date of receipt, in the right-hand column, denotes a priority document submitted or transmitted to the International Bureau but not in compliance with Rule 17.1(a) or (b). In such a case, the attention of the applicant is directed to Rule 17.1(c) which provides that no designated Office may disregard the priority claim concerned before giving the applicant an opportunity, upon entry into the national phase, to furnish the priority document within a time limit which is reasonable under the circumstances.
- The letters "NR" appearing in the right-hand column denote a priority document which was not received by the International Bureau or which the applicant did not request the receiving Office to prepare and transmit to the International Bureau. as provided by Rule 17.1(a) or (b), respectively. In such a case, the attention of the applicant is directed to Rule 17.1(c) which provides that no designated Office may disregard the priority claim concerned before giving the applicant an opportunity, upon entry into the national phase, to furnish the priority document within a time limit which is reasonable under the circumstances.

Priority date Priority application No. Country or regional Office Date of receipt or PCT receiving Office of priority document

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国際調査報告

(法8条、法施行規則第40、41条) [PCT18条、PCT規則43、44]

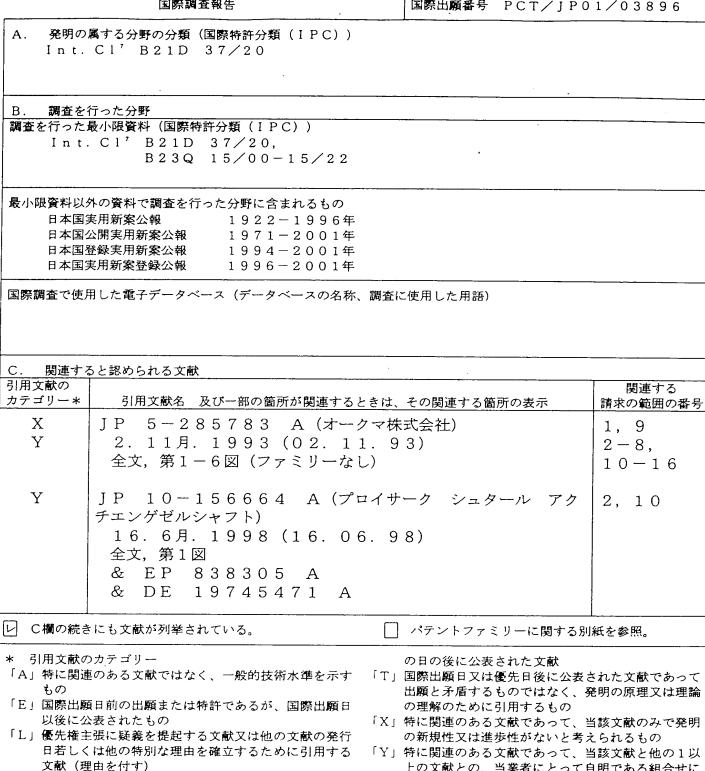
出願人又は代理人 KPK-X の書類記号 0020PC	今後の手続きについては、		告の送付通知様式(PCT/ISA/220) と参照すること。		
国際出願番号 PCT/JP01/03896	国際出願日 (日.月.年) 10.05.	0 1	優先日 (日.月.年) 24.05.00		
出願人 (氏名又は名称) 菊池プレス工業株式会社					
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国際		[人は、この国	47条(PCT規則38.2(b))の規定により 際調査報告の発送の日から1カ月以内にこ る。		
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□ 出願	人は図を示さなかった。				
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第Ⅲ欄 要約 (第1ページの5の続き)

加工代を有した形で作製された金型素材(20)の形状を測定器(16)で測定し、この測定データに基づきコンピュータ(12)で、エンベロープモデル(M2)を生成・記憶する。この後、コンピュータ(12)上で、金型設計データに基づく金型モデル(M1)の製品成形面(M1B)とエンベロープモデル(M2)の製品形成面(M2B)とを近接させ、金型素材(20)の製品形成面(20B)の加工量が低減される状態を探し、コンピュータ(12)で制御される金型加工機(18)により金型素材(20)の基準面(20A)及び製品成形面(20B)を切削加工する。

国際調査報告



「〇」口頭による開示、使用、展示等に言及する文献 「P」国際出願日前で、かつ優先権の主張の基礎となる出願 「&」同一パテントファミリー文献

- 出願と矛盾するものではなく、発明の原理又は理論
- 上の文献との、当業者にとって自明である組合せに よって進歩性がないと考えられるもの

国際調査を完了した日 23.07.01	国際調査報告の発送日 31.07.01
国際調査機関の名称及びあて先 日本国特許庁(ISA/JP)	特許庁審査官(権限のある職員) 3P 8923 渡邊 豊英
郵便番号100-8915 東京都千代田区霞が関三丁目4番3号	電話番号 03-3581-1101 内線 3363

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A	US 5277529 A (INPRO Innovationsgesellschaft fortgeschrittene Produktions-systeme in der Fahrzeuginduste mbH) 11.1月.1994 (11.01.94) 全文,第1-4図 & WO 90/015684 A & EP 433412 A & DD 295108 A & JP 4-501386 A & AT 102518 & DE 59004908 C	ur 1-16
A	JP 11-28640 A (株式会社オギハラ) 2.2月、1999 (02.02.99) 全文,第1-12図 (ファミリーなし)	1-16
A	JP 57-184654 A (トヨタ自動車工業株式会社) 13.11月.1982 (13.11.82) 全文,第1,2図 (ファミリーなし)	1-16



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NOTIFICATION OF RECEIPT OF RECORD COPY

(PCT Rule 24.2(a))

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Date of mailing (day/month/year) 12 June 2001 (12.06.01)	IMPORTANT NOTIFICATION
Applicant's or agent's file reference KPK-X0020PC	International application No. PCT/JP01/03896

The applicant is hereby notified that the International Bureau has received the record copy of the international application as detailed below.

Name(s) of the applicant(s) and State(s) for which they are applicants:

KIKUCHI CO., LTD. (for all designated States except US) MIYAMOTO, Yutaka et al (for US)

International filing date

10 May 2001 (10.05.01)

Priority date(s) claimed

24 May 2000 (24.05.00)

Date of receipt of the record copy by the International Bureau

by the international bureau

28 May 2001 (28.05.01)

List of designated Offices

National : CA, CN, JP, KR, US

ATTENTION

The applicant should carefully check the data appearing in this Notification. In case of any discrepancy between these data and the indications in the international application, the applicant should immediately inform the International Bureau.

In addition, the applicant's attention is drawn to the information contained in the Annex, relating to:

X time limits for entry into the national phase

X confirmation of precautionary designations

X requirements regarding priority documents

A copy of this Notification is being sent to the receiving Office and to the International Searching Authority.

The International Bureau of WIPO 34, chemin des Colombettes 1211 Geneva 20, Switzerland Authorized officer:

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INFORMATION ON TIME LIMITS FOR ENTERING THE NATIONAL PHASE

The applicant is reminded that the "national phase" must be entered before each of the designated Offices indicated in the Notification of Receipt of Record Copy (Form PCT/IB/301) by paying national fees and furnishing translations, as prescribed by the applicable national laws.

The time limit for performing these procedural acts is 20 MONTHS from the priority date or, for those designated States which the applicant elects in a demand for international preliminary examination or in a later election, 30 MONTHS from the priority date, provided that the election is made before the expiration of 19 months from the priority date. Some designated (or elected) Offices have fixed time limits which expire even later than 20 or 30 months from the priority date. In other Offices an extension of time or grace period, in some cases upon payment of an additional fee, is available.

In addition to these procedural acts, the applicant may also have to comply with other special requirements applicable in certain Offices. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that the necessary steps to enter the national phase are taken in a timely fashion. Most designated Offices do not issue reminders to applicants in connection with the entry into the national phase.

For detailed information about the procedural acts to be performed to enter the national phase before each designated Office, the applicable time limits and possible extensions of time or grace periods, and any other requirements, see the relevant Chapters of Volume II of the PCT Applicant's Guide. Information about the requirements for filing a demand for international preliminary examination is set out in Chapter IX of Volume I of the PCT Applicant's Guide.

GR and ES became bound by PCT Chapter II on 7 September 1996 and 6 September 1997, respectively, and may, therefore, be elected in a demand or a later election filed on or after 7 September 1996 and 6 September 1997, respectively, regardless of the filing date of the international application. (See second paragraph above.)

Note that only an applicant who is a national or resident of a PCT Contracting State which is bound by Chapter II has the right to file a demand for international preliminary examination.

CONFIRMATION OF PRECAUTIONARY DESIGNATIONS

This notification lists only specific designations made under Rule 4.9(a) in the request. It is important to check that these designations are correct. Errors in designations can be corrected where precautionary designations have been made under Rule 4.9(b). The applicant is hereby reminded that any precautionary designations may be confirmed according to Rule 4.9(c) before the expiration of 15 months from the priority date. If it is not confirmed, it will automatically be regarded as withdrawn by the applicant. There will be no reminder and no invitation. Confirmation of a designation consists of the filing of a notice specifying the designated State concerned (with an indication of the kind of protection or treatment desired) and the payment of the designation and confirmation fees. Confirmation must reach the receiving Office within the 15-month time limit.

REQUIREMENTS REGARDING PRIORITY DOCUMENTS

For applicants who have not yet complied with the requirements regarding priority documents, the following is recalled.

Where the priority of an earlier national, regional or international application is claimed, the applicant must submit a copy of the said earlier application, certified by the authority with which it was filed ("the priority document") to the receiving Office (which will transmit it to the International Bureau) or directly to the International Bureau, before the expiration of 16 months from the priority date, provided that any such priority document may still be submitted to the International Bureau before that date of international publication of the international application, in which case that document will be considered to have been received by the International Bureau on the last day of the 16-month time limit (Rule 17.1(a)).

Where the priority document is issued by the receiving Office, the applicant may, instead of submitting the priority document, request the receiving Office to prepare and transmit the priority document to the International Bureau. Such request must be made before the expiration of the 16-month time limit and may be subjected by the receiving Office to the payment of a fee (Rule 17.1(b)).

If the priority document concerned is not submitted to the International Bureau or if the request to the receiving Office to prepare and transmit the priority document has not been made (and the corresponding fee, if any, paid) within the applicable time limit indicated under the preceding paragraphs, any designated State may disregard the priority claim, provided that no designated Office may disregard the priority claim concerned before giving the applicant an opportunity to furnish the priority document within a time limit which is reasonable under the circumstances.

Where several priorities are claimed, the priority date to be considered for the purposes of computing the 16-month time limit is the filing date of the earliest application whose priority is claimed.